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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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A MOTOR VEHICLE)	

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The items checked below are attached:

- ☒ Notice of Appeal (2 pages); and
- ☒ Check in the amount of \$500.00 (appeal fee).

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the
Examiner's Final Office Action mailed July 1, 2004.

The items checked below are appropriate.

1. [X] A Petition for Extension of Time to extend the period for response to January 3, 2005, was filed on December 20, 2004, together with a three-month extension fee of \$1,020.00 (January 1, 2005, was a Saturday and January 2, 2005, was a Sunday).
2. [X] The Appeal Fee of \$500.00 is enclosed.
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